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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

TANIA BLESSING-ALVARADO,

Plaintiff,

v.

GEICO INDEMNITY COMPANY, a Foreign
Corporation; DOES 1 through 10; and ROE
ENTITIES 1 through 10, inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:21-cv-01952-RFB-VCF

**JOINT STATUS REPORT REGARDING
MEDIATION AND LIFTING STAY**

Plaintiff, Tania Blessing-Alvarado (“Plaintiff”), and Defendant, GEICO Indemnity Company (“GEICO”), by and through their respective counsel of record, submit the following Joint Status Report:

1. On August 12, 2022, the Parties attended Mediation with Judge Elizabeth Gonzalez (Ret.) at Advanced Resolution Mediation. While the session was productive, it became clear that the Parties were further from resolution than anticipated. Although no final settlement was reached, Judge Gonzalez informally extended the Mediation to allow both sides to consider new information/damages obtained and disclosed following submission of mediation briefs.

2. Judge Gonzalez met with both Parties following the formal mediation in an attempt to work towards a resolution in this matter.

3. The Parties agree that they are unable to reach a resolution at this time, and are seeking to resume discovery.

4. The parties will complete written discovery and re-notice depositions that had been set prior to the stay of litigation.

5. Out of an abundance of caution, the parties will be requesting a brief sixty day enlargement to the present stipulated discovery plan and scheduling order that the Court ordered on May 16, 2022 (Doc. 17).

6. Based upon the current schedule the parties would likely be hard pressed to conduct the depositions, and have time sufficient for the transcripts to get produced and reviewed by their experts within the current time frames. The parties will submit a separate proposed stipulation in compliance with LR IA 6-1 and LR 26-3 forthwith.

Dated: September 13, 2022

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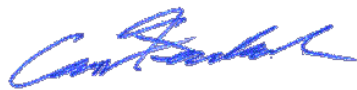
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IT IS SO ORDERED.



Cam Ferenbach
United States Magistrate Judge

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DATED

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 13th day of September, 2022, a true and correct copy of **JOINT STATUS REPORT REGARDING UNSUCCESSFUL MEDIATION AND RESUMING THE SCHEDULING ORDER** was served via the United States District Court CM/ECF system on all parties or persons requiring notice.

By /s/ Susan Kingsbury
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